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IN RE APPLICATION OF :  
MARKUS SCHERER, ET AL. : EXAMINER: TO BE ASSIGNED  
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(BASED ON PCT/EP03/01472)  
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
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SIR:

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.